

HOUSE BILL No. 1177

DIGEST OF HB 1177 (Updated February 13, 2007 12:36 pm - DI 87)

Citations Affected: IC 5-8.

Synopsis: Loss of office due to delinquent child support. Requires a state or local government officeholder who has been subject to a judgment: (1) of at least \$15,000 for delinquent child support payments; and (2) for more than 30 days; to be removed from office.

Effective: July 1, 2007.

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 $\label{eq:committee} January\,11,2007, read first time and referred to Committee on Government and Regulatory Reform. \\ February\,20,\,2007,\,amended,\,reported — Do Pass.$





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Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning state and local administration.

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Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

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- SECTION 1. IC 5-8-2-2 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: **Sec. 2.** Any person holding any office under the Constitution of the State of Indiana or Indiana law who:
 - (1) is delinquent in the payment of at least fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) in child support; and
 - (2) has been subject to a judgment under IC 31-16-16 for delinquent child support payments for more than thirty (30) days:
 - forfeits office and shall be removed from office under IC 34-17.



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COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Government and Regulatory Reform, to which was referred House Bill 1177, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Page 1, line 4, delete "who is:" and insert "who:".

Page 1, line 5, after "(1)" insert "is".

Page 1, line 7, after "(2)" insert "has been".

Page 1, line 8, delete "payments;" and insert "payments for more than thirty (30) days;".

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to HB 1177 as introduced.)

STEVENSON, Chair

Committee Vote: yeas 10, nays 1.

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